H. R. 199.

JANUARY 15, 1821.

Committed to a committee of the whole House to-morrow.

A BILL

Giving further time for the redemption of Lands sold for taxes, under the act of August second, eighteen hundred and thirteen, entitled "An act to lay and collect a direct tax within the United States."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 1 of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That 2 lands which have been sold for the payment of taxes, under 3 the act passed the second day of August, one thousand eight 4 hundred and thirteen, entitled "An act to lay and collect a di-5 rect tax within the United States," and purchased on behalf 6 of the United States, may be redeemed by the original owner, 7 his or her heirs, executors, administrators, or any person on 8 his, her, or their, behalf, at any time before the first Monday 9 of December next, by paying into the Treasury of the United 10 States the amount of the said taxes, with interest for the same 11

at the rate of twenty per cent.

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